

Upcoming Events:

- January 10: Wacky Hair Day!
- January 13: Grade 5 Boys Basketball @ noon
- January 14: Indoor Track Practice @ 7:45a.m
Grade 5 Girls Basketball @ noon
- January 15: Grade 5 Boys Basketball @ noon
Grade 5 Curling @ 3:30p.m
- January 16: Indoor Track Practice @ 7:45a.m
5M/5S/5F Field Trip
5W/ 5B Skating
Grade 5 Curling @ 3:30p.m
Indoor Track Meet at Saskatoon Field House @ 5p.m
- January 17: 5W/5B Field Trip
Grade 5 Girls Basketball @ noon
- January 20: Boys Basketball @ noon
- January 21: Indoor Track practice @ 7:45a.m
Subway Hot Lunch Gr. 1-5 & KB
Grade 5 Girls Basketball @ noon
- January 22: Subway Hot Lunch KA
Grade 5 Boys Basketball @ noon
Grade 5 Curling @ 3:30p.m
- January 23: Indoor Track Practice @ 7:45a.m
5W/ 5B Skating
Hot Chocolate Sale - SRC will be selling hot chocolate for \$1.00
Grade 5 Curling @ 3:30p.m
- January 24: Grade 5 Girls Basketball @ noon
- January 27: Grade 5 Boys Basketball @ noon
- January 28: Indoor Track Practice @ 7:45a.m
Grade 5 Girls Basketball @ noon
- January 29: Grade 5 Boys Basketball @ noon
Grade 5 Curling @ 3:30p.m
- January 30: Indoor Track and Field Practice @7:45a.m
5W/5B Skating
Grade 5 Curling @ 3:30p.m
- January 31: Prep Time / No classes for students

Additional News Items:

Kindergarten

If your child will be 5 years old by December 31, 2020 (born in 2015), it's time to start thinking about Kindergarten! Kindergarten registrations for the 2020/21 school year are now being accepted! Please contact the school to register your Kindergarten-aged child. We will be holding a Kindergarten Open House/ Orientation in May. Details will be shared with registered families later this spring.

One School, One Book



MOO by Sharon Creech is the new book that has been chosen for our One School, One Book Book Club. The books will be sent home with families who have ordered once they arrive.

Indoor Track

Indoor Track Season continues! We have been practicing and preparing for our two upcoming track meets on January 11th and January 16th at the Field House in Saskatoon. Good luck to all our runners!

Students interested in attending a future meet are still welcome to join. Practices are held on Tuesday and Thursday mornings from 7:50am – 8:35am. Practice attendance is important as information about upcoming meets, permission slips etc are given. Of course, all grade 4 & 5 students are welcome to practice even if they are not interested in / able to attend meets.

If you have any questions, please email amanda.baudais@spiritsd.ca.

Grade 5 Curling

Our Curling Club continues on Wednesdays and Thursdays through to the end of January at the Martensville Curling Club. We have about 30 grade 5 students participating. As this is the first experience for many of our students, we are focusing on very basic skills as we learn about the game. We are looking forward to the next few practices... throwing rocks and learning to sweep is going to be fun. **Hurry Hard!**

Mr. Flett, Mrs. McKay, Mrs. Lacoursiere

Grade 5 Boys and Girls Basketball

Introductory basketball programs are being started for boys and girls in Grade 5. Boys practices will be at noon hour on Mondays and Wednesdays and led by Mr. Tebay. The girls will practice at noon on Tuesdays and Fridays and be led by Ms. Dycer. The programs will continue through the end of February/beginning of March.

December Events Wrap Up and Thank You

Thank you for your participation in our See a Need- Fill a Need Campaign in December. Warman Elementary made a donation to the Warman Food Bank for \$968 to help less fortunate families over the Christmas season.

We also wish to thank families for coming out to our Winter Family Festival and Grade 2 Christmas program in December. Both events were well attended, and staff and students appreciated your kind words of encouragement and appreciation. We once again extend a big thank you to Affinity Credit Union for their sponsorship of the fireworks show which were a highlight for many!

Labeling Winter Clothing

Families spend considerable money on warm winter clothing each year. At school we find that many jackets, boots, etc are identical as they are likely bought at the same stores. Please help us help you by ensuring that you label jackets, boots, and other items with your child's name or initials. IT makes things so much easier to sort out when things get mixed up.

Healthy Hunger

Your School Community Council has organized monthly hot lunch days through Healthy Hunger. Profits from this initiative go into Council fundraising projects like the recent picnic tables installed on the playground.

If you already have an account please proceed to the Health Hunger website (www.healthyhunger.ca) and log into your account. Please ensure that you select the city/town as Warman and the school as Warman Elementary School. Once you have added your child(ren) you are then able to place your order. If you are new and have not created an account, please proceed to the Healthy Hunger website and click the green Learn more button under Parents and then signup a free account.

- Once you are in your account you will notice that we have set up most of the hot lunch dates for the year. If you would like to proceed and order all of your lunches available to date you can. You can also come back into your account at any time and order or make changes to your orders.
- Nutritional Guide available upon request
- Kindergarten Parents: please ensure you are ordering for the date your child is attending school.

If you have any questions about the lunch, please contact Denaye Merz at dmerz@sasktel.net. You can also call Healthy Hunger if you have any questions about the site at 1-800-818-6260.

Cold Weather Busing

As we approach winter we want everyone to be aware of the cold weather busing policy for Prairie Spirit School Division: Buses will not run if the combined temperature/wind chill factors result in a reading of -40 degrees Celsius or below at 6:00 a.m. Buses that do not run at the regular time in the morning will not to run at all on that same day even if the temperature warms up. You can find the information at www.spiritsd.ca -click on Transportation and then the Bus Cancellations tab.

Parking Reminders

*Please do not park where the pylons are set up in our parking loop. We need to keep this area clear for student access.

*For the safety of everyone please make sure students and adults are crossing at the marked crosswalks.

*Drivers please take extra caution when driving in front of the school and be aware that things will slow down during the beginning and end of school times.

*We ask that all parents obey the parking and drop off signs at the front of the school and in our drop off lane. The bylaw officer will be issuing tickets for those continuing to park in non-parking areas and stopping in bus lanes during marked hours.

Before and After School Program

A Before and After School Program is available at Warman Elementary for the 2019/2020 school year. The program is run by The Boys and Girls Clubs of Saskatoon.

To register your child please visit the website.

www.bgcsaskatoon.com